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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Expedited Procedure – Art Unit 2872

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Govil *et al.*

Appl. No.: 10/629,798

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For: **Deformable Mirror Using
Piezoelectric Actuators Formed as
an Integrated Circuit and Method
of Use**

Confirmation No.: 9413

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Examiner: James Phan

Atty. Docket: 1857.1860000

Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action dated **October 19, 2006**, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Reply.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.